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The Honorable Bill Foster U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Nydia M. Velazquez U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Gwen Moore U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Alcee L. Hastings U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable David Cicilline U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Eleanor Holmes Norton U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Jared Polis U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Kyrsten Sinema U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Niki Tsongas U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Nanette Barragan U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Suzanne Bonamici U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Daniel Kildee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Salud Carbajal U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Donald Payne, Jr. U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Jan Schakowsky U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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The Honorable Raul M. Grijalva U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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